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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
8 WESTERN DIVISION
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10 ANTHONY ANDRE SHARP,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 LONIE HANSEN, et al.,

14 Defendants.
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No. CV 08-2978 (FFM)

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

16 On May 7, 2008, plaintiff filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a
17 prisoner. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g), “[i]n no event shall a prisoner bring a civil
18 action . . . under this section if the prisoner has, on 3 or more prior occasions, while
19 incarcerated or detained in any facility, brought an action or appeal in a court of the
20 United States that was dismissed on the grounds that it . . . fails to state a claim upon
21 which relief may be granted, unless the prisoner is under imminent danger of serious
22 physical injury.” In his proposed civil rights complaint, plaintiff identifies a number of
23 prior actions including *Sharp v. Mason*, CIV S-03-1354 EJD DAD P, filed in the United
24 States District Court for the Eastern District of California, *Sharp v. Arcamons*, CIV S-04-
25 0595 DFL GGH P, filed in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of
26 California, and *Sharp v. Cueva*, CIV S-02-1686 FCD GGH P, filed in the United States
27 District Court for the Eastern District of California. The three aforementioned civil
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1 actions were all dismissed for failure to state a claim. (See attached Findings and
2 Recommendations, Orders, and Judgments.)

3 Therefore, plaintiff is ordered to show cause within 20 days of the date of this
4 order why the application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a prisoner should not be
5 denied and the action be dismissed for failure to pay the filing fee.

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7 DATED: *May 29, 2008*

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10 FREDERICK F. MUMM
11 United States Magistrate Judge
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